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Box PATENT APPLICATION

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Re: New U.S. Patent Appln.
Our Ref: 178/50786

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

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entitled: **FILTER ARRANGEMENT FOR LIQUIDS**

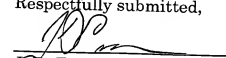
Enclosed are:

1. Application Data Sheet.
2. Specification, including 8 claims (9 pages).
3. 2 Sheets of Formal Drawings showing Figs. 1-4.
4. Information Disclosure Statement with Form PTO-1449 and cited references.
5. Priority is being claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119 and 37 C.F.R. §1.55 based on Priority Document 100 64 482.1, filed in Federal Republic of Germany on December 22, 2000.
6. The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

Basic Fee					\$370/740	= \$740.00
Total Claims	<u>8</u>	- 20	= <u>0</u>	x	\$9/18	= \$
Independent Claims	<u>1</u>	-	= <u>0</u>	x	\$42/84	= \$
Multiple Dependent Claim Presented					\$140/280	= \$
Total Filing Fee						<u>\$740.00</u>

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